LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY**, **JULY 25, 2000**, upon the application of **VASTAR RESOURCES**, **INC**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Zone**, **Reservoir A**, in the Spider Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To grant an exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 92-H Series and Statewide Order No. 29-E and to permit applicant, Vastar Resources, Inc. to drill, complete and utilize the Vastar Resources, Inc. Smith Ford No. 1-Alt Well as an additional alternate unit well for the HOSS RA SUN.
- 2. To make a specific finding that such proposed alternate unit well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the HOSS RA SUN which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any other well within the unit.
- 3. To authorize the unit allowable for the HOSS RA SUN to be recovered from the unit wells, the alternate unit wells (including the proposed alternate unit wells), or from any combination thereof, at the discretion of the operator.
- 4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the Spider Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 92-H, effective October 15, 1969, and redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 92-H-1, effective October 16, 1979, as revised.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 7/11/00;7/14/00

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT <u>DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES</u>, <u>PERSONNEL SECTION</u> AT P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (225) 342-2134 BETWEEN THE

HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.